

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The invention provides an electro-optical apparatus and a projector that can be efficiently fabricated and permit a reduction in manufacturing cost. A pair of substrates and an electro-optical element sandwiched between the pair of substrates are provided to constitute liquid crystal panels. An antistatic layer is provided on an outer surface of at least one of the pair of substrates. Therefore, even if static electricity is generated on the surfaces of the panels, the static electricity escapes to the outside through the antistatic layer, making it possible to prevent dust, fluff, or the like from adhering to the liquid crystal panels. This enables the deterioration of images caused by the adherence of dust, fluff, or the like during a manufacturing process or during the use by a user to be minimized.

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